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In re application of: **M. Mueller et al.**      Examiner: **Mei Ping Chui**

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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 2, 2008**

Sir:

This Reply is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 2, 2008, in the above-identified application. A one-month extension of time is submitted herewith extending the period for response from January 2, 2009 to February 2, 2009. Entry of this Reply and reconsideration and reexamination of this application are requested respectfully in view of the following amendments/remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2.